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**Attention: VIN Coordinator** 

December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Re: VIN Information pursuant to 49 CFR 565.7(c)

In accordance with 49 CFR 565.7(c), ASTON MARTIN LAGONDA LIMITED (AML) hereby provides the attached information (version 3) necessary to decipher the characters contained in **2014 Model Year** VIN for passenger cars produced by AML and to be imported into the USA.

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Sincerely,

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**Director - Product Development** 

Attachment (Version 3)

## **Aston Martin Lagonda Ltd**

## VIN Decoder - 2014 Model Year (North America Only)

Model: **DB9 (VH1) - 14MY** 

|                              | Character<br>Position | Character Description                                    |                           | Coding  |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|---|
| ×                            | 1,2&3                 | World Manufacturers Identifier<br>Code (Assigned by BSI) | SCF                       | Aston Martin Lagonda Limited  |
| riptor Section               | 4                     | Restraint System   | E                         | Restraint Type 1 2+0 Seating Configuration Airbags Drv: front & side (in seat), Pass: front & side (in seat) Seath belts Drv: 3-point ELR + Dual Pretensioner/Dual Stage Load-Limiter, Pass: 3-point ELR/ALR + Dual Pretensioner Dual Stage Load-Limiter  |
|                              |                       |  | F                         | Restraint Type 2 2+2 Seating Configuration  Airbags Drv: front & side (in seat), Pass: front & side (in seat)  Seat belts Drv: 3-point ELR / ALR + Dual Pretensioner / Dual Stage Load-Limiter, Pass: 3-point ELR / ALR + Dual Pretensioner Dual Stage Load-Limiter  Rear Pass: 3-point ELR / ALR |
| Desc                         | 5                     | Transmission / Steering                                  | D                         | 6 spd Automatic / LHD   |
| Vehicle                      | 68.7                  | Make / Vehicle Line / Body Type / Seats                  | AA                        | Aston Martin/VH1 DB9/Coupe 2dr/2+2 seater   |
| >                            |                       |  | AB                        | Aston Martin/VH1 DB9/Convertible (Volante) 2dr/2+2 seater   |
|                              |                       |  | AC                        | Aston Martin/VH1 DB9/Coupe 2dr/2+0 seater   |
|                              |                       |  | AD                        | Aston Martin/VH1 DB9/Convertible (Volante) 2dr/2+0 seater   |
|                              | 8                     | Engine Type  | M                         | AM11/ (5.9 Litre, 380.3kW, V12)   |
|                              | 9                     | Check Digit  | 0 to 9 or X               | As per specified calculation  |
| Vehicle Indicator<br>Section | 10                    | Model Year   | D                         | 2013  |
|                              | 11                    | Assembly Plant   | G                         | Gaydon, UK.   |
|                              | 12                    | Series identifier  | Α                         | DB9 Coupe   |
|                              | Series identifier     | В  | D89 Convertible (Volante) |   |
|                              | 13 to 17              | Sequential Identification Number                         | 00001 to 99999            | Subject to position in build sequence   |

Model: Vanquish (VH3) - 14MY

|                             | Character<br>Position | Character Description                                    |                | Coding  |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--|----------------|---|
| ΑM                          | 1, 2 & 3              | World Manufacturers Identifier<br>Code (Assigned by BSI) | SCF            | Aston Martin Lagonda Limited  |
| Vehide Descriptor Section   | 4                     | Restraint System   | к              | Restraint Type 6 2+0 Seating Configuration Airbags Drv: front, side (in seat) & cantrail, Pass: front, side (in seat) & cantrail Seat belts Drv: 3-point ELR + pyro-pretensioner, Pass: 3-point ELR/ALR + pyro-pretensioner                     |
|                             |                       |  | L              | Restraint Type 7 2+2 Seating Configuration Airbags Drv: front, side (in seat) & cantrail, Pass: front, side (in seat) & cantrail Seat belts Drv: 3-point ELR + pyro-pretensioner, Pass: 3-point ELR/ALR + pyro-pretensioner Rear seats: ELR/ALR |
|                             | 5                     | Transmission / Steering                                  | D              | 6 spd Automatic / LHD   |
|                             | 6&7                   | Make / Vehicle Line / Body Type / Seats                  | CE             | Aston Martin/VH3 Vanquish/Coupe 2dr/2+0 seater  |
|                             |                       |  | CF             | Aston Martin/VH3 Vanquish/Coupe 2dr/2+2 seater  |
|                             |                       |  | CG             | Aston Martin/VH3 Vanquish/Convertible (Volante) 2dr/2+2 seater  |
|                             |                       |  | CH             | Aston Martin/VH3 Vanquish/Convertible (Volante) 2dr/2+0 seater  |
|                             | 8                     | Engine Type  | P              | AM11/ (5.9 Litre, 422kW, V12)   |
|                             | 9                     | Check Digit  | 0 to 9 or X    | As per specified calculation  |
| Vehide Indicator<br>Section | 10                    | Model Year   | E              | 2014  |
|                             | 11                    | Assembly Plant   | G              | Gaydon, UK.   |
|                             | 12                    | Series Identifier  | J              | Vanquish Coupe  |
|                             | Series ident          | beries identifier  | К              | Vanquish Convertible (Volante)  |
|                             | 13 to 17              | Sequential Identification Number                         | 00001 to 99999 | Subject to position in build sequence   |

Model: Rapide (VH4) - 14MY Gaydon

|                              | Character<br>Position | Character Description                                    |                | Coding   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|----------------|--|
| WW                           | 1,2&3                 | World Manufacturers Identifier<br>Code (Assigned by BSI) | SCF            | Aston Martin Lagonda Limited   |
| riptor Section               | 4                     | Restraint System   | н              | Restraint Type 4 4 Seating Configuration  Airbags = Drv. front & side (in seat) and side curtain (in door)  Pass: front & side (in seat) and side curtain (in door),  Seat belts = Drv: 3-point ELR + pyro-pretensioner, Pass: 3-point ELR/ALR + pyro-pretensioner,  Rear Pass: 3-point ELR/ALR + pyro-pretensioner. |
| Desc                         | 5                     | Transmission / Steering                                  | D              | 6 spd Automatic / LHD  |
| Vehicle                      | 6 & 7                 | Make / Vehicle Line / Body Type / Seats                  | DA             | Aston Martin/VH4 Rapide/Saloon 4dr/4 seater  |
| >                            | 8                     | Engine Type  | T              | AM11/ (5.9 Litre, 410kW, V12)  |
|                              | 9                     | Check Digit  | 0 to 9 or X    | As per specified calculation   |
| Vehicle Indicator<br>Section | 10                    | Model Year   | Ε              | 2014   |
|                              | 11                    | Assembly Plant   | G              | Gaydon, UK.  |
|                              | 12                    | Series Identifier  | F              | Rapide   |
|                              | 13 to 17              | Sequential Identification Number                         | 00001 to 99999 | Subject to position in build sequence  |

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